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Sonoma Valley C of C

Jane

Our thanks to you for the use of Council Chambers and facilities during the planning and implementation of the 1968 Vintage Festival.

Our further thanks for the support we received from the Chamber Manager, Bob Cannard, who served on our planning committee and helped with many phases of the festival.

The Vintage Festival is primarily a vehicle for showing off Sonoma Valley and presenting part of our heritage and way of life to the many visitors who come to enjoy the ~~Plaza~~ ~~and~~ events in and around the plaza and valley on the Festival day. As such we like to think of ~~ourselves~~ the Festival as contributing to the overall growth and development of Sonoma Valley and look forward to the continued cooperation and help of the Chamber in presenting the Annual Vintage Festival. Thank you again.

~~Pres. Time Table~~
Sonoma City Council
~~Dept~~

Done

On behalf of the Vintage Festival Association Board of Directors I wish to thank the City of Sonoma for its support, both ~~financial~~ advisory and physical, without which the festival could not have come to pass.

The City Council graciously gave us control of the Plaza for the Festival weekend and Mr Mooney & Mr Echols provided many services and donated freely of their time to help us keep communications going, the grounds in order and ~~organized~~ performed ~~provided~~ general handyman services to keep things running smoothly

Our special thanks to Chief Joseph Spinelli and his regular and reserve police officers who put in many hours ~~under considerable stress~~ and provided the booth area with surveillance and kept the heavy traffic flowing smoothly and with a minimum of disruption. They performed the further service of blockading certain areas during specific

parts of the program -- ~~the~~ our congratulations to them for the calmness and efficiency they displayed under the stress and hustle of the busy weekend.

Sincerely,

A. A. Green Pres

Sonoma Valley V. F. Assn.

done

Editor Index Tribune

Mr Editor

Many thanks to you and your staff for the excellent coverage and support you gave the Vintage Festival Association Board as they prepared the 1968 Vintage Festival.

Your attending all our ~~two~~ bimonthly 7:30 AM planning and providing much advice and counsel meetings has evidence enough of your love for Sonoma and your interest in ~~furthering the image~~ developing the Sonoma Valley image. But the star ~~crown~~ in the Tribunes ~~its~~ crown was the beautiful ~~the~~ souvenir program you marked up (on such short notice) to help our visitors ~~understand the festival~~ enjoy the events of the weekend and to add color to our history and the ~~color~~ interesting stories of such persons as Val Emparan to the ~~many other features~~ host of items served up for your readers enjoyment.

Thank you again for your support and we look forward to 1969 when we can once again work together to help spread the word about ~~success~~

of our beautiful Sonoma Valley ~~and~~

Sincerely

A. Alperin Pres.

Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival Assn.

Love

Miss Rose and Mister Mike Hardy

Dear R & M:

Many thanks for entertaining our ~~guests~~ visitors at the Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival. Your playing and singing did much to add to the "color" of the festival.

I really hope we can count on you for more of the same next year, because I feel that ~~music~~ ~~and~~ the music program is one of the basic factors in making the festival a success.

If you have any other ideas for entertaining, or friends you can draw into participation, let me or Mr Kuggles know so we can do even better next year

Sincerely

Dick

done

Miss Dolores Jaehrling
PO Box 100
Sonoma Calif 95476

Dear Miss Jaehrling

Many thanks for your and the Hanna Center kaye group participation in our annual Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival. The ~~singing groups~~ music was a big hit this year and we appreciate your groups' part in helping us make the festival a success.

I hope we can count on your support in the future as well, thanks again

done

Miss Frances Braga
17095 Bookside Dr.
Sonoma

Dear Miss Braga

Thank you so much for coordinating and leading the "Indian Choir" into and through our festival program this year.

Their contribution to the overall musical success was deeply appreciated, and I hope we can look forward to your continuing assistance in the future.

done

Mrs Robert Rogers
137 Jemelee Circle
Sonoma California

Dear Mrs Rogers

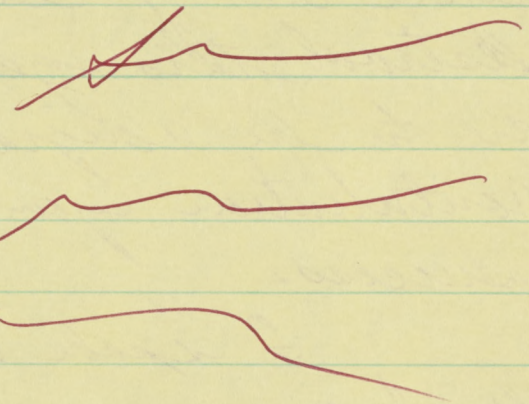
Thank you so much for your "community sing" playing at the annual Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival.

The individual ~~performances~~ performances were one of the real highlights of the festival this year and you and Esther are to be congratulated for the fine contribution you made to the festival success.

I spoke to Esther about a good local accompanist and she recommended you very highly -- as soon as ~~I'm out~~ I'm out of the woods as far as extra work is concerned, I'd like to call you and see if we can work up some numbers together. I've spoken to Evelyn Gregory ~~about~~ tentatively about putting on a recital for the benefit of the local boys club and we'd like to rope you in on this if we ever get around to

completing our plans.

Thanks again for your playing at the festival and I hope we can look forward to more of the same next year



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Mrs Joe Young
127 Jemelee Circle
S—

Hi Esther

Thanks a load for working up the "community sing" with Mrs. Rogers at the Vintage Festival.

I think Dan Ruggles did a fantastic job of grounding local talent & to add to the "color" of the festival, and your assistance was deeply appreciated.

I hope you and Mrs Rogers can find the time to help entertain our Festival visitors next year as well, because, music and song are truly a balm for the mind and soul, and it's especially nice when the ~~performers~~ artists can draw in their listeners to become part of the performance itself. Thanks again

Joe

done

Maurice Winans
Mr ~~Maurice Winans~~
1991 Western Ave
Petaluma

Dear Mr Winans

Thank you very much for participating in our annual vintage festival in Sonoma. It's quite a job to organize a young group to perform as they did, and we deeply appreciate your providing such a fine performance for us.

I'm sorry some confusion existed (in my mind!) about where you were to be last, as usual, everything worked out for the best and we hope we can count on your continuing support in the years to come.

The Board wanted to send a small donation as a token of our appreciation ~~cost~~ for the group And we're enclosing the check for this letter. Thanks again

Jim

Ad

done

Mr John Curatto

PO 435
El Verano Calif

Dear Mr Curatto:

Many thanks to you for the service you performed for the Vintage Festival Association during our last Vintage Festival.

It's the contribution of services and support by interested persons like yourself that keep the festival going and we appreciate your efforts very much.

The more persons who become involved, the better the affair, and we hope we can count on your continued support in the future. Thanks again.

Jan

Ad

done

Mr. I Vella
827 Oak Lane
Sonoma Calif 95476

Hi Ig:

Thanks for coming through for the Vintage Festival Committee and getting the County Fair money for our advertising expenses

I realize we were quite late with our request and appreciate your special effort to get our request through channels and authorized

Next year we'll be on time and I hope we can count on your support then. I'd like to send a note of appreciation to who ever had the ultimate authority for issuing the funds. Please get down to whom I should address it and we'll get a few lines off to them. Thanks again

Al

Ad

Done

mr. Arnold Grieme

Dear Arnold:

Thank you for coordinating the boy scout display and assistance at the ~~1988~~ Vintage Festival this year.

I ~~don't~~ know the names of the individual troop leaders ~~for them~~ but if you can just send me the names & addresses ~~Troop me a note~~ I'd like to send them a little note of appreciation.

The scouts made a terrific contribution to the festival's success and we look forward to more of the same in the future.

Sincerely,

Pres

Done 10/16/68

1 Copy to Murray, 1 to paper for records

Sonoma Valley Youth Group Vintage Festival Committee
c/o Mr Max Murray
Sonoma Valley Hi School
Sonoma Calif

Dear Mr Murray

The Vintage Festival Association Board wishes to commend the ~~the~~ members of the Student Vintage Festival committe for their participation in the 1968 Vintage Festival

Chuck Field, ~~Cathy Turbek~~ Beth Maynard and Cathy White did a terrific job of organizing their crew and it was a great treat to see ~~high school~~ these young adults so involved in a community service project.

The complete list of the working committee is attached, and we ~~would to~~ ~~like~~ feel their civic mindedness is a fine tribute to the education and guidance they are receiving in the Sonoma Schools.

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Sonoma Valley Youth Groups (Vintage Fest. Comm.)

1. Charles Field 8-4816 - Chairman
2. Beth Manard 6-6489 - Asst-chairman
3. Pat Daly 6-7307
4. Dan Daly 6-7307
5. Linda Maria - 8-3448
6. Dave Wesner 8-4252
7. Peggy Swallow 6-0175
8. Dianne St. Laurent 8-3667
9. Donna Giorgi 6-6798
10. Michele Hunter 8-2131
11. Steve Shaw 6-1322
12. Pitta Dunker 6-7734
13. Shirley Howland 8-2110
14. John Chandler 8-5776
15. Kathy White 8-2561 - Secretary.
16. Mike E. 5-5104 or 8-2484 EVE KHANIAN
17. Rich Carpenter Call 6-6798
18. Georgia Gibson 6-1837
19. Kerri Mountain - 6-5017
~~20. Joe Anne~~
20. Dee Dee McDonald 6-0242
21. Mary Louise Field 8-4816
22. Cindy Scarborough 6-6616
23. Mike Edsall 8-3513
24. Dan Weidel 8-4715
25. Brian Dillman ~~8~~ 6-0889

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10/16/68
VC

Mr Max Murray Principal
So V H S
Sc C

Dear Mr Murray

Thank you for the fine support you and your staff gave the Vintage Festival Committee in preparing the 1968 Vintage Festival.

Our special thanks and congratulations ~~for the use of high school rooms for meetings~~ to Mrs Lawson of the Art Department for her fine talent she did in supervising the creation and production of our advertising posters for the festival.

Mr Schneider and the High School band came through in a big way by leading our Children's parade and playing some fine music for the festivities.

We also appreciated the use of high school rooms and film equipment for meetings during the year, and look forward to continued cooperation with you in promoting a fine image for Sonoma in the years to come

Yours for the V. F. board

VP — V-F Ass.

Pres.

done

Edetor Santa Rosa Press Democrat

As the president of the Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival for 1988 I wish to thank you for the excellent coverage provided us by ~~Mr~~ Arlene Hansen in your paper.

~~Mrs Hansen not only attended our many 7:30 AM board meetings, but was very much in attendance at the festival itself, photographing events and recording~~

Mrs Hansen shared eye at nearly all of our 7:30 AM board meetings ~~and~~ and her ~~dedication to~~ support of our efforts was deeply appreciated.

Again, our thanks to you for the coverage and looking forward to your continuing cooperation in the future, ~~Thankyou~~.

~~I remain~~;

~~A~~ Allyn ~~Pres~~ pres.
Sonoma Valley V. F. Assn.
Kay Richard

done

Mr Gene Benedetti Mgr:
Petaluma Cooperative Creamery
Petaluma California

Dear Mr Benedetti:

~~Many thanks to~~ We just wanted to call ~~this~~ to your attention the very fine service performed for the Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival by the Creamery's employee Mr King Armstrong.

The help of interested ~~p~~ business persons such as Mr Armstrong who donate time and services are all that make the Festival possible and we want to thank him for his contribution ~~this~~ to its success this year.

Sincerely

Asst pres

Done

~~Sonoma Police Reserve~~ De

~~Op~~ Mr Joseph Spinelli Chief
Sonoma Police Dept.
Sonoma Calif

~~Dear~~
Dear Chief:

A special ~~vote~~ of thanks to the regular and reserve ~~unit~~ men who pitched in to help ~~your regular force~~ our handle the many chores and heavy traffic of the Vintage Festival

You all did a great job and I personally can't praise the whole police group highly enough for the all out effort they produced to help make the festival a success.

Sincerely

Al Jones

done

mr Sales Says

Dear Sales

Thanks for the ~~great~~ great job you did announcing the events and lost children sections of this years Vintage Festival.

We appreciate you taking time out from your busy schedule to help make the Festival a success and hope to have you on the team on the years to come as well.

Pres

Dove

Mrs June Schaal
20490 8th St E
Vineburg Calif

Dear Mrs Schaal

Our ~~deepest~~ heartfelt thanks for your groups participation in the annual Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival.

Having a dance group of your caliber associated with the festival is a real boon to us and we hope we can look forward to your continuing cooperation in the years to come.

I'd like to send a note of thanks to the California Folk Dance Federation for holding their ~~board~~ meeting in Sonoma during the Festival weekend. Could you ~~drop me a note~~ advise me to whom I should address the note? If you are actively involved in their administration I could send it to you for forwarding if you so desire. Thanks again

Jan

done

mr C. Bash Chief
Sonoma Fire Dept
32 Patten St.

Dear Mr Bash:

Thanks for the color your department added to the vintage festival with your ~~~~ "old pumpers" battle.

It was a real treat to see Sonoma win, especially when outgunned by a pressure nozzle like the competition used. I hope the "pumpers" damage is easily repairable and we'll look forward to your continued ~~support~~ cooperation with the festival planners in the years to come.

done

Director
S.F. Boys Club Band 21 + Alabama
S.F. _____

Dear Sir:

Many thanks for the contribution of the SF Boys Club Band to the success of the 1968 Vintage Festival in Sonoma. They ~~made the~~ made the Parade a much better event, and your concert was ~~a~~ terrific.

We hope ~~that the band~~ ~~enjoyed~~ the boys enjoyed Sonoma and the Vintage Festival as much as we enjoyed having them with us, and I look forward ~~to having the boys back~~ to

to hearing them again in the future.

A _____

_____ Pres

done

Mr Richard Schneider
% Sonoma Valley High School
Sonoma Calif

Hi Dick:

Just a brief ~~note~~ but sincere "thanks" for coming through with the hand to lead our Children's parade.

It's awfully short notice to provide a group ready to march and play so soon after school starts, but do it you did, and that's what counts.

You've done a terrific job of lifting the High Schools' musical awareness from ~~somewhere to~~ a very low table to ~~the~~ its present level and we look forward to ~~more of the~~ even ~~better~~ more ~~days to~~ improvement as your teaching talks hold and ~~goes up~~ bundles the interest of the students.

Congratulations and I hope we can count on your support in future years as well.

Pres
VFA Bd.

Sinfonia Jazz Band
% James Greene
555 El Dorado St
Sonoma Calif

Love

Cafe Guitar 63 805
1) Bd member
2) $10.00 to Band
good order
or take care of

Dear Jim:

Thanks loads for the great concert your ~~group~~ played in the plaza during the annual Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival.

Having a ~~[redacted]~~ musical organization of this size and caliber for the festival and the Spanish Ball is a real blessing for us and I hope we can look forward to more of the same at the future festivals.

Thanks again for the help.

Jim

Al

6-2590

done

996-9037

Mrs Mary Jane Givens

~~756 El Dorado Dr~~ } call Mr Ruggle for address
~~Sonoma~~

756 El Dorado Dr.
Sonoma

Dear Mrs Givens

The ~~festival board~~ Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival Board wishes to thank you for your contribution to the success of this years festival.

~~The addition of~~ Your double mixed quartet ~~was appreciated in the musical activities was~~ added greatly to the musical "color" of the festival and we hope we can count on your support in the years to come. Thank again

Sincerely,

SVVF

done

Clara Carbonara Greco
300 Monroe St
Napa Calif

Dear Mrs Greco

Many thanks for the wonderful music ~~Ed~~ your students provided for the enjoyment of our visitors at this years annual Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival.

Aside from their musical abilities I was greatly impressed with the "showmanship" you've managed to instill in them.

Our special thanks to the accordianists who did double duty by strolling around the plaza playing as they went -- and especially to the great trio who entertained ~~so professionally~~ the train riders from the bay area so professionally.

We hope we can look forward to your continued support in the future and thanks again

A

done

Mr Duane Iverson
Sonoma Valley Hi School
Sonoma Calif 95476

Hi Duane

Thanks for handling the poster contest and making up the posters for this years annual Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival.

I think the poster contest was a fine idea and hope we can look forward to your handling it again next year.

Did Don Brundage ever get around to giving the winning contestant her prize money? If not, please contact me with her name and address and I'll take care of the prize and forward her

Thanks again

Jim

Done

The Satoyome Indian Dancers
% Mr Charles Higgins
2407 West Ave
Santa Rosa Calif

1959

Dear Mr. Higgins and gang:

~~Many thanks for the great show~~

Many thanks for the great show you and the boys put on during our annual Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival this year.

You added fine "color" to the festivities and contributed greatly to the successful entertainment of our many visitors.

We hope we can count on you for more of the same next year, and we'll contact you earlier than we did this year.

Thanks again

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Love V.F-est

Sonoma County Board of Supervisors

Santa Rosa California

attn: Mr. I Vella

Dear Sirs:

~~On behalf of the~~ The Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival Association wishes to thank you for the allocation of county fair funds to help publicize the annual Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival. Our festival drew many visitors, ~~and~~ who enjoyed ~~the~~ both seeing part of our County's history recreated and the pleasure of a day in ~~the county~~ our plaza with music, food, and friends.

Our special thanks to Mr Neal Smith, who worked with our representatives to set up the criteria ~~for~~ ~~years~~ and disbursement schedule for funds you allotted us.

Without your assistance ~~support~~ we could not present this view of Sonoma Valley ~~in~~ ~~the~~ to as many people as we now reach, and I hope

we can continue to look forward
to your continued favor and support
in the years to come. Thank you again.

Sincerely,

Ann Pier
SO Va VF Assoc

done

Program Director (?)
KNEW Radio 910
P O Box 910
~~Jack London~~ Square
Oakland Calif 94604

Dear Sir:

~~Our deepest~~ many thanks for the donation of your air time for broadcast spots advertising the Sonoma Valley Vintage Festival ~~this past~~ September ~~of this~~

As a non profit organization ~~we~~ we must rely ~~heavily~~ heavily on ~~the support from the~~ ~~public~~ the good graces of private individuals and groups to ~~keep~~ help us meet our budgetary requirements. Your donation was greatly ~~deeply~~ appreciated and we hope we can rely on your continued support in the future.

Al Jr.